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Dear Sir:

Enclosed please find the following:

1. Notice to Comply with Requirements for Patent Applications Containing Nucleotide Sequence and/or Amino Acid Sequence Disclosures – (2 pages);

2. Statement of Facts – (1 page);

3. Sequence Listing in computer readable form – (1 Disc); and

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